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## NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal from the decision dated January 12, 2009 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-4, 13-16, 21 and 22.

The term for filing the NOTICE OF APPEAL is extended three months by a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed concomitantly herewith, to expire on July 12, 2009.

The USPTO appeal fee of \$540.00 is being paid by credit card herewith. Any additional fees or overpayments are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1378.

Respectfully submitted,

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